

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s):	MENON, Gopinathan	Confirmation No.	1007
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For:	METHOD OF TREATING SKIN CONDITIONS		

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION**  
**UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action having a Notification Date of June 6, 2009, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following remarks. The time period for reply was restarted pursuant to the notification dated June 22, 2009. Accordingly, the shortened statutory period time set for response is September 22, 2009, and this response is being filed timely within the two (2) months of the June 22, 2009 notification date.

A **Listing of Claims** begins on page 2.

**Remarks** begin on page 4.

Please charge any additional fees needed for the entry of this Amendment to our Deposit Account No. 50-3782, Order No. SC35U-US.